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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a retired person who supports competition for good reliable broadband services. Before with only one carrier the costs were unsustainable for me and I was thrilled when another server appeared at half the cost. We need competition to keep prices available for senior citizens such as myself.

Being able to keep abreast of current affairs, and in connection with my children in different corners of the states is so easy with WiFi streaming, and critical to my sense of connection and happiness.

Please don't turn our broadband and fiber connections over to a large single carrier who will then have a monopoly.

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